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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

TABUCHI

Group Art Unit:

Application No.: 09/866,478

Examiner:

Filed: May 29, 2001

Docket No.: P107390-00005

For: LABEL-PASTING METHOD, LABEL-PASTING DEVICE, MATERIAL SHEET  
OF LABELS, AND LABEL

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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September 4, 2001

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated July 26, 2001

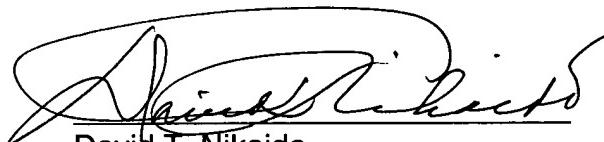
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- A Check No. 323878 in the amount of One Thousand Forty Dollars (\$1040.00) is enclosed to cover the filing fee of Eight Hundred Seventy Dollars (\$870.00), the surcharge for the late filing of the declaration of One Hundred Thirty Dollars (\$130.00) and the Recordation of Assignment fee of Forty Dollars (\$40.00).
- Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- Originally executed Assignment with Form PTO-1595;
- Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge that all of the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §111 have been met.

Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$80.
  - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 920.**

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